THE TIMES.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1906.

FARMVILLE.

The churches of Farmville were never in a more flourishing condition than now. The pastors of the different denominations are young, strong, spiritual men and are doing noble work. The attendance upon church services, especially at the hour of Sunday morning worship is always good, but this cannot be said of the other services.

The Sunday papers reach us on the noon train and scores of men go from the places of worship to the depot and having gotten possession of the ponderous sheets seem to get on without the preachers for the remaining part of the day. The mid-week prayer meetings are shamefully neglected by the business men of our town. Of course many of them are tired when night comes but never too tired to respond to a business, and yet these same men when Sunday comes are often heard to sing:

Religion is the chief concern
Of mortals here below.

The ladies, God bless them, are most loyal to the churches and most helpful to the preachers. They not only buy organs but they support the organizations. A churchless community would be a curse and but for woman the churches would die out of the land.

Court week was of thrilling interest. There is a certain charm about court procedure that is felt by men, women and children. Judge Hundley presides with dignity and rules with fairness and firmness, holding the scales with even and unshaken hand. Clerk Whitehead is a model for neatness and dispatch, while Judge Watkins, as prosecuting attorney is a terror to evil doers. Our court room is not a model but is still comfortable and convenient. Our Clerk's office is one of the best in the State and our grounds could be made very attractive.

I regret to report that Mr. Walter H. Robertson is offering his handsome residence for sale, and that means that he will not remain with us. We cannot afford to lose him and his from our business, social or religious circles.

Mr. Beverly Gates, one of our enterprising farmers, who is paying special attention to improved stock has recently returned from Chesterfield, bringing with him a rooster for which he paid $5. He will have none but the best and he in turn is shipping fancy cows, hogs and chickens to different sections of the county. Such men are public benefactors.

Our Normal girls are beginning to talk of vacation and the prospective "sweet girl graduate" or the commencement dress she is to wear.

A good joke on Capt. Hunt, our accomplished artist, is going the rounds. An aged lady entered his studio to have her picture "took," and after getting into the right position the Captain mildly said, "Look pleasant, please. Click. "It's all over ma'am. You may resume your natural expression." The Captain still lives and flourishes.

The ladies of the West Hanover Missionary Union enjoyed a most pleasant and profitable meeting. Mrs. John R. Sampson of Albemarle county was controlling spirit of the occasion.

The Presbyterians close their church year with a most gratifying financial report.

The lenten services of the Episcopal church have been well attended and of the most interesting character.

Miss Maud Taliaferro has been made assistant librarian at the Normal, and no better appointment could have been made.

Farmville is to have an ice plant in full operation by June. The wonder is that it had not been established years ago.

Prospective land buyers are constantly seen on our streets and we are getting to be accustomed to the German tongue.

I heard an enthusiastic hunter say that worthless dogs running at lage were more destructive of birds than all the men who go a gunning after them.

I cannot understand why the legislature took from the people the right of electing Commissioners of the Revenue, but that Judge Hundley will make a wise and judicious appointment, none of us fear.

In some sections of the town rents have advanced 25 per cent. The wonder is that more medium size residences are not erected.

Tobacco is Farmville's pet, however, and is always sure of a warm reception. The cash is always here to command.

Messrs. S. W. Paulette & Son have been giving unique and attractive entertainments at their new store. The object was to introduce the best brands of flour and the most approved ranges to the house wives of Farmville, and it has been demonstrated that our merchants do handle the very best varities of flour and that Messrs. Paulette & Son do sell the latest and best varieties of ranges and stoves. The cooking has been done by experts and tasting has been luxurious. Mr. Lewis Paulett has been the host of the occasions and has dispensed a gracious and generous hospitality.

Mr. W. W. Jackson was in Lynchburg last week on business

I know of a salaried man here who is now the owner of four good houses, which he is renting at satisfactory prices and who has never made more than $40 a month. He simply has the "financial instinct," and few of us have. It He would be a Rockefeller if he had Rockefeller's opportunity. And he is happy and has hair on his head, and that can not be said of John D.

Your reference to the trolley lines in a recent editorial reminds me to say that there should be one connecting Farmville and Hampden Sidney. It is the one way of saving the college to Prince Edward and it is worth saving, and still another railroad is talked of to connect our little city with important points north and south. "Let em come."

Every wheel on the Tidewater and Western stops for Sunday. It ought to prosper and I believe it does.

The sale of "booze" at our dispensary should justify more granolithic walks or reduction of town taxes.

Elam--Prince Edward.

As the weather is too bad for me to be out, I will write a few lines from this section.

There has been right much plowing done in this section, but few oats have been seeded yet.

Large quantities of chestnut timber have been purchased in this community by agents of Mr. Heald.

Mr. Robt. Reynolds visited at Mr. Aubrey Gilliam's last Sunday.

Misses Ura and Annie Elam and Adelaide Reynolds were guests of Mrs. Herman Phillips of this place last week.

Mr. J. Elam was a guest of Mr. A. D. Elam last Friday. Mr. Elam is treating his house to a new coat of paint and improving his new home generally.

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4 30	8 50	Farmville	4 40
4 50	9 12	Raines	4 15
5 01	9 26	Hawk	4 00
5 14	9 43	Eulalie	3 42
5 18	9 48	McRae's	3 47
5 33	10 06	Cumberland	3 18
5 52	10 34	Sunnyside	2 59
6 04	10 50	Tobaccoville	2 4'
6 09	10 57	Ballsville	2 42
6 25	11 18	Belona	2 26
6 36	11 32	Macon	2 15
6 49	11 49	Powhatan	2 02
6 52	11 58	Negro Arm	1 56
7 03	12 09 p. m.	Flat Rock	1 48
7 21	12 35 Ar.	Moseley Lv.	1 36
8 40	3 35 Ar.	Richmond	12 30

Between Winterpock and Richmond via Moseley and Southern Ry.

Daily ex. Sunday	Stations	Daily ex. Sun.
11 42 a m	Lv. Winterpock Ar.	p m 2 47
11 59	Coalboro	2 30
12 19	Skinquarter	[illegible]
12 49	Ar Moseley Lv	1 40
	via Southern Ry.	
3 35	Ar Richmond Lv	12 30

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Daily ex Sunday	Stations	Daily ex Sunday
3 00 p m	Lv Winterpock Ar	a m 11 17
3 17	Coalboro	11 00
3 22	Summit	10 56
3 41	Perdue	10 37
3 49	Beach	10 29
3 56	Fendley	10 20
4 10	Nash	10 08
4 33	Ar Chester Lv	*9 35
4 50	Ar Petersburg Lv	7 45
7 45	Ar Richmond Lv	9 05

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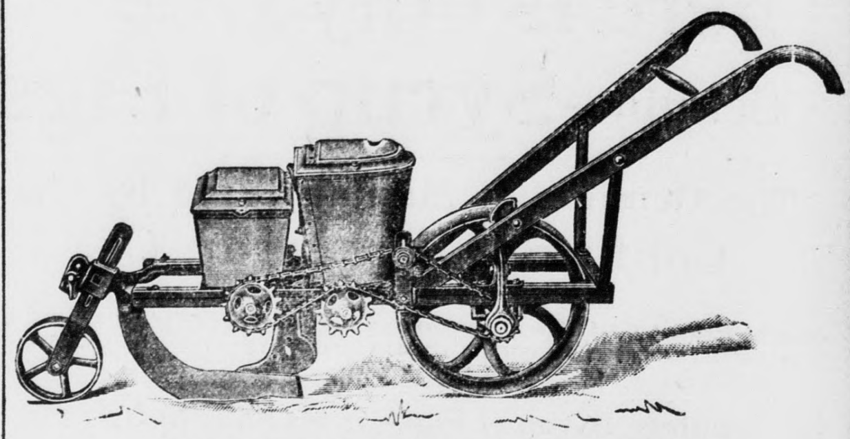

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THE DAY WAS BRIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL.

The day was bright and beautiful,
The flower-laden air
Brought to us scented zephyrs;
The earth was glad and fair,
E'en the cloudlets floated onward
With a slow and languid grace,
As they, too, shared the beauty
That reigned o'er nature's face

A little darling near me,
Tired of playthings dear,
Looked from all nature's fairness
For something else to cheer.
"Let's play the rain is falling,"
The birdies gone away—
Let's say the storm is coming—
Let's play a rainy day."

In vain I tried to show her
The brightness of the sky,
The sweetness of the flowers,
The songsters flitting by,
Her little heart grown tired
Of all things bright and gay,
Looked off from all this beauty
To play a rainy day.

When older grown and basking
Within the sun's bright glow,
And mercies for the asking
Are with us as we go,
We bow our hearts in sadness,
Go mourning all the way—
Pass by the love and gladness
To "play a rainy day."

We cannot see the brightness
That all the clouds dispel,
We do not grasp the mercies
That love and joy foretell,
So oft our hearts are blinded
As we journey on our way,
Midst joy and sun and flowers
We "play a rainy day."

E. N. S. Alcoma, Va.

Buckingam.

This is the anniversary of an event which took place 41 years ago in the staid old county of Appomattox. An event which the Afro-Americans (negroes) celebrate as giving them their freedom, and which we, the whites of the South, call to mind as the beginning of the greatest change that has taken place in several generations. Millions of laborers, the best for farming purposes that the world has yet produced, were suddenly set at liberty and the farms of this South land have gone down and down ever since and labor has become scarce and more scarce ever since, until to day, what with the education the whites have provided in such generous ways and what with remunerative prices paid for labor in mines, on railroads, etc., the labor of the colored people on our farms is fast becoming a thing of the past. To us, who heard the guns at Appomattox that fateful morn in 1865, the now rare sight of an old 'Uncle' or an old 'Aunt' is a pleasure, and we grasp the hand of such with pleasure, but the younger generation of to-day, oh, how different. Well they have improved in many ways in the 40 years, but many are still shiftless and thriftless and I believe if settled apart from the whites they would fast relapse into their former state of barbarism and ignorance.

A very singular accident happened at our high school last week. Maxfield Pease, one of the pupils, in a spirit of fun, placed a lead pencil in his brother's seat in school, with the point up, and put his hat over it so as to hold it up, and when his brother William Pease came in he at once sat down on the pencil, which stuck into his body, causing a very painful wound. The wounded boy was taken at once to Richmond for treatment and the grief of the younger brother who so thoughtlessly caused the accident, was painful to witness, while the anguish and suspense suffered by the mother can only be realized by parents who have had to endure something of this kind. At last account the patient was getting on all O. K. and will probably be at home when this is printed.

Rev. Chas. M. Barrel preached a good sermon last Sunday from the text: "Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God." In speaking of how little we were able to read aright the feelings in the hearts of our fellowmen, he spoke of a man attempting to wash a spot off of a window pane, which every effort failed to accomplish, when it was found that the spot was on the inside of the glass. The speaker said he witnessed a great calamity which was said to be sent as a judgment, yet he knew of no conversion caused by it. Mr. Barrel has improved very much as a preacher and his sermons show thought and industrious research.

Rev. John Spenser was well enough to be out at preaching, but is still feeling weak from his recent illness.

The Prebytery meets in Charlottsville this time and Judge hall is delagted to represent Maysville Presbyterian church.

The county school board is called to meet on the 10th and inspector Thomas Hall is expected here at that time.

Mrs. Joseph Anderson of White Hall is so muce improved in health that she is able to assist in the store after her long illness.

Andersonville.

Some of your readers away from home write: "Send the A. & B. TIMES, want to see the news and know what is going on in Appomattox and Buckingham." Carline tells them some things. She is taking great interest in our Alice. She had better try and get the Congressman to buy a Virginia farm to test the garden seed in native soil.

A saw mill man near here wants to buy ground hogs in car load lots to break up the breed.

Mrs. Nannie Anderson is expected home the 27th, after a long visit to friends in Richmond.

I told your readers I knew who it was that would marry on the 28th. I will tell them now, it is Mr Bocock Spencer and Miss Lizzie Baldwin. They have a host of friends who wish them a long and happy life. There are two other girls spoken for. Before the whippowill hollers they will be off, This is guess work but as the old fortune teller says, "it will sure come true."

We are sorry to hear of the extreme illness of Mrs. E. J. Steger. Drs. Anderson and Morris are both attending her, but have little hope of her recovery.

Mrs. Joe Anderson has gotten well under Dr. Nowlin's skillful treatment, and God's grace. I believe mightily in Divine healing, but if any of my folks get sick I'll send for a doctor. God and man are co-workers together.

Mark the perfect man and behold the upright for the end of that man is peace. Addie Spencer, who died the 15th of March, was marked as husband, father, friend and neighbor; he lived a life of usefulness, he died in peace. Some say there are none perfect, the psalmist says there are, let's take his word for it.

Mr. Editor what did the Legislature do for the old soldeirs or widows? And how much of the nine million will they get? When will this investigating legislature meet again? It would be interesting for some of them to have had investigated how they got elected, what kind of deal they made with the rings (political and whiskey) you know.

The sun shines bright this pretty a. m. and uncle Jack, the coon hunter and the ground hog are not in it at all.

Mrs. Julia Kyle is here and will be for some time.

Mrs. Nannie Anderson is home again. The Pennsylvania soldiers are singing the praise of Richmond and so is she, we have Richmond for breakfast, dinner and supper. Well some mighty good folks live there and I don't blame her.

Jeter Davidson is home from West Virginia.

Miss Mary Morgan made a flying trip from Farmville recently.

Jim Henry will put crape on his arm now probably, as the school has closed. He has a phone and is post master.

The investigating committee are still at work and will be for some time from present prospects. Would it be cheaper or not to call an extra session and turn all the Montague men out at once and hang all Montague editors. To the victor belong the spoils. The money has got to be spent you know. The investigators will have a good time, the old women, wives of Confederate soldiers can wait a while then in a few years will not need a penny.

Arcanum.

Our old and much respected neighbor and friend Thomas H. Garnet now 87 years old had ridden horseback over to his farm on Willis Mountain and was on his way back to his son Tom's, where he makes his home now, when his horse shied, or stumbled, throwing him out of his saddle to the ground, his left foot hung in the stirrup, and his horse started down the hill near Mr. Morriss', but the faithful creature which he had ridden for 12 years, seemed to know instantly that something was wrong with his master, end soon stood still not dragging Mr. Garnet more than a few yards. Mr. Jamisson and Mr. Dean were at work one-half a mile off and hearing cries for help, hurried to his rescue and soon relieved him from his perilous position and put him in a wagon well padded with bed quilts, and carried him to his son Tom's, bruised and scrached a little, but no serious injury. But for the sagacity of his favorite riding horse which stood still about 20 minutes awaiting the help that came he would have undoubtly been dragged to death, being at his age too old and infirm to reach up and grasp the stirrup with his hand.

Mrs. H. Glen Hebditch of Knoxville Tenn. who came home two weeks ago to attend the marriage of her brother Bocock expects to leave today for her home.

W. B. Spencer, lost another son, Anderson, last week, he goes to join his brothers in West Virginia in their "pop" factory. The miners in West Virginia drink more whiskey and pop than any other class of men that I know.

Miss Annie Page Jones is home again at New Store, she was principal of a high school in Augusta, Co. Va., last session.

Mrs. Bullard, wife of Rev. Mr. Bullard of Lunenburg Circuit passed through Arcanum a few days ago enroute to her father's Mr. E. Van Anderson, and by the way "Uncle Van" is the most enjoyable correspondent the TIMES has.

Sheppards.

Mr. Norvell Pollard is building quite a handsome residence at Sheppards, and Mr. Renno, of Michican expects to build a dwelling in the near future on his property near here, so our "town" will soon be built up.

Some people seem to think that there is no money in raising tobacco but a prominent farmer of our neighborhood cleared $1000 from his tobacco crop last year after deducting all expenses.

There are several saw mills in our vicinity. Besides these the Farmville M'f'g. Co. has a mill cutting plow-handle timber, and the Standard Oil Co's. stave mill. These mills are good for the laborers, but bad for the farmers, as it is very difficult to hire farm hands at any price.

The Wrought iron Range people have made a close canvass of our county and have sold thousands of dollars worth of ranges. "Our folks" must have money after all, else they could'nt buy so many improved implements.

There has been quite an epidemic of some cattle disease in our section and a good many cattle have died. It appears to affect their legs only, and cows in fairly good condition seem unable to stand or walk.

Quite a number of our people are on the sick list at present. Mrs. E. I. Steger has been quite ill for some time but is somewhat better at this writing.

Messrs. Jas. W. Smith and A. C. Garnett are both sick, but their condition is not serious.

Mr. W. M. G. Ranson had his leg badly hurt last Sunday by a horse falling on him. He is up on crutches however, and we hope will soon be well again.

APPOMATTOX.

INTERESTING STORIES ABOUT HOME FOLKS

Our Correspondents Relate the News of the County.

Hebron.

During the recent bad spell of weather we realized more fully than ever the value of a good county paper. Though the rains descended, the wind howled and the roads almost impassible yet the TIMES came promptly, bringing us tidings from the surrounding county and even some from our near neighbors of which we had not heard

Stonewall must have had a good opportunity for gathering the news in this section. Our imagination leads us to think he is an energetic and business man, whose cheerful face and genial manner have been recently seen in these parts. We have heard horseback riding was one of the best remedies for dyspepsia. If it does not cure his we are sure it proves an appetizer and this is why he thinks some of the dinners were "served in old Virginia style."

There has been right much sickness around and Dr. Whitehead is in demand.

Mrs. Lizzie Stratton, a very estimable and aged lady, is quite sick at her brother's, Mr. Mac Carson.

Little Annie Clare Taylor, who has been in such poor health all the winter is somewhat better.

Mrs. Horsley has improved. Miss Alice Stratton is now visiting her.

The worthy colored sexton of Hebron, Sam'l. Limas, has not been expected to live, but is better now.

We have one case of typhoid fever among the colored people.

A little girl has arrived at the home of Mr. Sam Anderson. If she inherits the good qualities of her parents and has the sweetness of little Russell, she will be a blessing to all.

Mrs. Dr. Rice of Lynchburg is visiting at Mr Sam Anderson's.

Prof. Geo. Davidson of the University and Miss Mabel Davidson of Womans College, Lynchburg, have had a short vacation and brightened the Baptist Parsonage with their presence.

We had a fine sermon at Hebron recently on the text, "Cease to do evil and learn to do well." Sunday School was reorganized, most of the old officers re-elected. The place of our worthy superintendent, W. T. O. Davidson could hardly be filled.

Miss Annie Davidson made a flying trip to Lynchburg shopping for Easter we suppose.

Mrs. T. J. Stratton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. B. Scott near Lynchburg. Capt. T. J. looks lonely without his little wife.

Miss Annie Thornhill is teaching a private school at the Hebron school house, with good success.

Mr. Marshall Stratton sold a large quantity of tobacco last week at satisfactory prices.

Mr. J. B. Taylor has taken up a load to-day. We hope he may take the 'blue ribbon' and be able to 'crow,' but he is not expecting it.

There is much more of the same that could be written, but I am sure, Mr. Editor, you will say "enough."

Southside.

The springing grass, bursting buds, blossoms, singing birds and bright sunshine all proclaim that spring is here again. And so the years roll on, and the promise is that so it shall be till the end of time.

The farmers are pushing their work, for labor is scarce and planting time is upon them. Wheat is improving and the tender green of the fields is beautiful.

There is a deal of sickness in this community. Little Bessie Wooldridge, who has been very sick is improving. Mrs. Wm. Mann is sick.

Mrs. C. R. Mann is in Lynchburg to see a specialist about her eyes. It is thought that the sight of one is entirely gone.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Wm. Lewis is sick again.

We were grieved to hear of the death of Mr. Louis Clark. His sorrow-laden parents cannot now see why he was taken—why this young life, which gave promise of so much usefulness, was cut short; but after a while the clouds will lift a little and they will know the "meaning of these tears" and "sometime, somewhere we'll understand."

Messrs. T. A. and Mace Coleman and T. W. Odor and J. T. Coleman went to the Hill City with tobacco last week.

Mr. Chap Simms returned recently from a visit to his sister, Mrs. Duff in New York. He was accompanied home by his niece, Miss Odelle Inge, who will make a long visit to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Simms.

Master Julian Coleman is spending the week at Evergreen the guest of his cousin, Master Wilbur McDearmon.

Misses Margaret and Mildred Tucker, of Amherst, who are attending the Farmville Normal, will visit relatives at Evergreen Easter.

The young folks of this vicinity are planning a fishing excursion down on 'old Cub.'

Congratulations are due Mr. and Mrs. Carrington Evans, and we cannot express a better wish for little 'Dorothy Foster' than that she may be like her mother.

We would like also to express a good wish for the 'new editor' at the TIMES office and may he make as good a one as his father.

Hollywood.

The equinox is over and we are having some fine weather now.

The Sunday School is progressing nicely here.

Mr. W. D. Haga has sold his saw mill to his sons.

Mr. Charlie Rosser of Charlotte county was visiting in our vicinity Sunday.

Mr. Willie Brown, while loading a tie wagon some time ago, was very badly hurt, by the falling of a tie, but we are glad to say that he is improving rapidly.

There will be preaching here on the fourth Sunday evening at 3 o'clock by Rev. Hugh C. Smith.

Mr. M. L. Covington is very sick, we hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. John Lewis and wife are visiting her father this week.

Miss Fannie Cawthorn is very sick.

Tower Hill.

As the time has come for me to write for your newsy columns I will try and do so, but to start with I plead scarcity of news.

Farmers are quite busy, as usual. Some are fallowing, some seeding oats, while some are taking the last of their tobacco to market.

Gardening is late through this section—very few have commenced yet. Spring chickens are also a scarce thing around here.

Miss Edna Carter has returned from a visit of several months to relatives in Roanoake. Her many friends are glad to welcome her back.

Mrs. W. B. Beal is critically ill at her home near here. Her friends have almost despaired of her recovery.

Misses Maude and Minnie Cunningham of Buckingham were the guests of the Misses Willis last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. C. M. Phelps closed her school Saturday the 7th. There was a large crowd present to witness the closing exercises. The recitations and dialogues were all good. Some of the most impressive were the following:

The New Candidate and Uncle Mose—by Branch Harris and Leonard Thornhill; Backbiting—by Effie Wells Pearl Thornhill and Mag Coleman and many others too numerous too mention. Mr. John Smith made music. After the recitations a sumptuous dinner was served on the ground, after which the crowd returned to the house to witness the pinning on of the donkey tail. All seemed to enjoy it immensely.